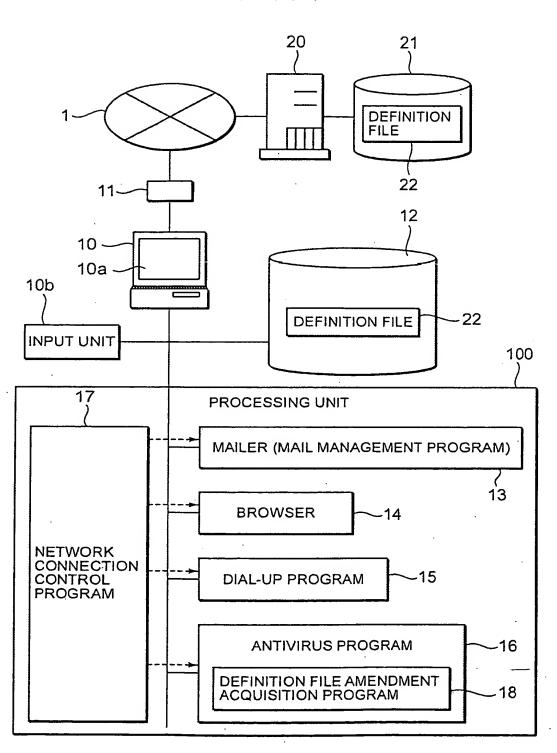
UPON START OF A PARTICULAR PROGRAM

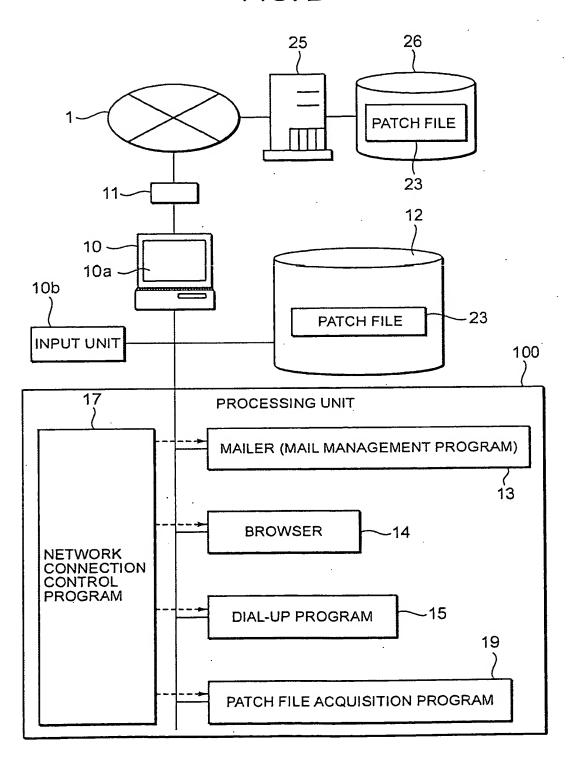
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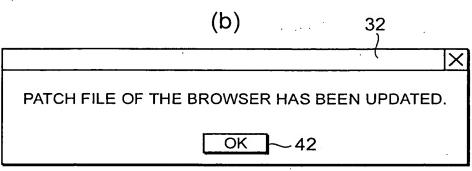
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FIG. 2





(c)

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VIRUS DEFINITION FILE WILL BE UPDATED BEFORE CONNECTION TO INTERNET.

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(d)

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PLEASE UPDATE THE SECURITY FILE BEFORE STARTING SEND AND RECEIVE OF MAILS.

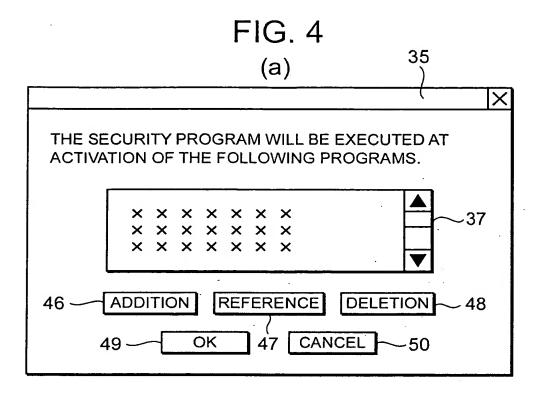
UPDATE OF THE VIRUS DEFINITION FILE 44

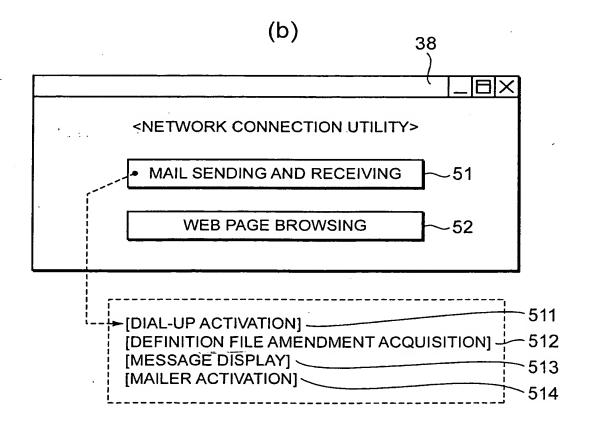
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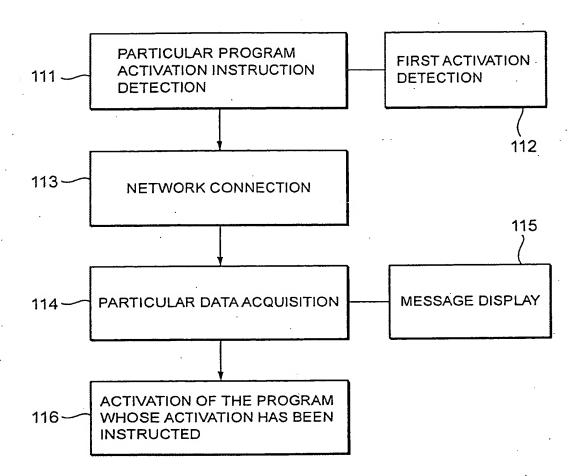
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FIG. 7



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FIG. 8

